

MORNING NEWS BY CABLE.

England Footing the Bill for the Zulu War.

**Excess of Expenditures Three Million Pounds
Sterling—Opposition to the War in the
House of Commons—French Pro-
tective Policy—England Shut
Out of the United States
—A New Circular.**

The Sinews of War.
LONDON, Feb. 27.—In the House of Commons to-day Sir Stafford Northcote, submitting the supplementary credit for £1,500,000, which he proposes to obtain by Exchequer bonds, said he anticipated an excess of expenditure over revenue of £3,000,000, two millions of which are provided for. A portion of the credit is to be used for the Transvaal war and the balance for the Zulu war. The credit was adopted by the House without division.

OPPOSITION TO THE WAR.
LONDON, Feb. 27.—Although the House of

THE WEEK OF THE ADRIATIC.
LONDON, Feb. 28.—Lloyd's telegram from Dunkirk confirms the report that forty-two of the British merchant ships which were broken up were lost. Among the drowned are the mate of the Adriatic and the agent of the Independence Salvage Company, of Liverpool.

FRENCH COMMUNIST SENTENCES.
LONDON, Feb. 28.—The French Communist engineer officer, condemned in continuation, and who, on the accession of M.

residing in Paris and had "amassed himself a fortune," he had been convicted of a crime—murder. His five years imprisonment in the Paris penitentiary was the subject of the *Daily News* essay. Lambert will doubtless be pardoned when the amnesty bill shall have passed the Senate.

POLICY OF THE GOVERNMENT.
Mr. Washington, in receiving the deputation of Protectionists yesterday, said the government was firmly resolved to close the era of protection, and to inaugurate a new era as possible. The amnesty bill will probably be passed by the Senate by the end of this week, the question of the impeachment of the Minister to the 16th of May will be settled by the end of next week, and the Chambers might then proceed to business affairs; but it is very difficult to predict the result.

intervention of the United States as a producing country should play a great role in the crisis, from the reaction of which France is now suffering. *La France* yesterday stated that M. Waddington, president of the Council and Minister of Foreign Affairs, is of the opinion that England is now shut out from the United States as a market, and consequently the full weight of competition of the English manufacturers would be

A RUSSIAN CIRCULAR.
LONDON, Feb. 28.—A Vienna dispatch to the *Times* says mention is made of a new Russian circular to the Powers, calling their attention to questions still pending in connection with

Russia insists that the Powers devise means to obviate difficulties likely to arise from a clause permitting the Turks to occupy the Balkans, and urges that a definitive government be established before Russian evacuation.

Russia also points to the necessity of hastening the settlement of the frontiers of Dobruja, and refers to other matters still in controversy. The correspondent says if the circular is intended to hasten the settlement of the pending questions it is likely to be successful; but it is doubted if it will excuse the prolongation of the Russian occupation, scarcely a single Power will accept the excuse.

CERIAN POLICY.

from Madrid says Captain-General Campos advocates tariff reforms to develop trade between Cuba and the United States and the repeal of the sugar duties. Should the council on Saturday agree on the tariff and the general policy in regard to Cuba he will probably return to Havana. Other advice seems to indicate that General Campos will remain in Spain.

FATAL AVALANCHE.
LONDON, Feb. 28.—A dispatch from Vientiane to the *Daily News* states that an avalanche near Marbury killed twenty-one persons and destroyed nine houses.

Cable Sparks.
LONDON, Feb. 27.—Weston arrived at Reading.

tuiles, and being eighty-five miles in arrears.

VIENTIANE, Feb. 27.—The Chamber of Deputies to-day voted "urgency" for the resolution of M. La Roche Joubert, authorizing the Chamber to meet occasionally in Paris.

SOERABAYA, Feb. 27.—The ex-Emperor

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.—The Chamber of Commerce today met for the first time since its reorganization following the war in South Africa.

CRAIG. Feb. 27.—Pinco Krapotnick, chairman of Chicago's Russian club, was shot by an unknown assassin on the 21st inst., having died of his wounds.

PANAMA. Feb. 27.—At the sitting of the budget committee today Mr. Lami Say declared that the government does not contemplate conversion of the 5 per cent. rentes.

S. PETERSBURG. Feb. 27.—The Goimaan who was yesterday supposed to have been killed in the attack on the city, has been seen at the sight of his associates, was isolated in consequence, proves to be afflicted with a very ordinary disease.

SENATE. Feb. 27.—In the Senate today the committee on the amnesty bill presented their report. It states that the committee thought they had reason to be indulgent, but that they could not accept any proposal of a complete amnesty.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

DOVER, N. H., Feb. 27.—Hon. James E. Sawyer died here today, aged eighty years.

was to-day found guilty of the murder of Catherine Richards.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—The United States frigate Constitution will go into dock and repair in the royal arsenal.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 27.—James C. Slocum the alleged bigamist, is in jail at Bryan, O., where he was reported.

ST. PAUL, MINN., Feb. 27.—Both Houses of the Legislature have passed a bill reducing the legal rate of interest from 12 to 10 per cent.

CUMBERLAND, MD., Feb. 27.—A roof of coal in the mine at Millersburg, Md., fell in, killing George Barnette. Other miners narrowly escaped.

BIRMINGHAM, CONN., Feb. 27.—John McLaughlin has been indicted for the murder of his wife, Mary, on the 21st instant. He pleads not guilty.

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—Angell, the defaulting secretary of the Pullman Palace Car Company, pleaded guilty this morning and was sentenced to the State Reformatory, the full extent of the law.